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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
Roanoke Division

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NATHANIEL T. RIVERS,

Petitioner,

v.

DIRECTOR, VIRGINIA
DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS,

Respondent.

Civil Action No. 7:10-cv-00578

ORDER

By: James C. Turk
Senior United States District Judge

In accordance with the accompanying Memorandum Opinion entered this day, it is hereby

ADJUDGED and ORDERED

that Respondent's motion to dismiss (ECF No. 8) is **GRANTED** and Petitioner Nathaniel T. Rivers' petition for a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 (ECF No. 1) is **DENIED**. Further, Petitioner is advised that a Certificate of Appealability is **DENIED**.

The Clerk is directed to strike this case from the Court's active docket and send copies of this Order and accompanying Memorandum Opinion to Petitioner and counsel of record for Respondent.

ENTER: This 6th day of July, 2011.


Senior United States District Judge